

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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PCT/IL2004/000955

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER
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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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- 3 ☐ Claims Nos
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1. claims: 1-7, 33-39

A composition-of-matter comprising a mixture of albumin and a plasticiser and the use of the composition.

2. claims: 8-32

A medical device composed of a mixture of albumin and a plasticiser and the method of manufacturing a medical device.

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